

# Walker's on Furlough



**Greetings to all of our dear brothers and sisters in Christ. Once again we thank you for co-laboring with us in the USA and Botswana.**

**We thank each of you** who gave above and beyond in order for us to make the trip to the US. Our time in the US has already gone beyond what we expected. We were able to go to Mississippi and have a seven hour celebration service. Brothers and sisters from many different economical backgrounds, ethnicities, from African-American, Native American, Anglo-Saxon and so on. It was a taste of Heaven.



**We have also had a wonderful time visiting all our families for the Holidays.**

It was the first time Michael has ever had Christmas with

all of his siblings. It was also the first time Heather has seen her brother in 12 years. God has really blessed us. Once again thank you all for allowing yourself to be God's vessel in getting us here to the states; so, all this could happen. We know that many of you give not out of plenty but out of sacrifice. We are excited to see your faith and trust in our Lord.—

**We also recognize that the economy all around the world is struggling.**

Unfortunately we have heard many children of God profess that they are being overcome by the world and it's situation. The more I pray the more I personally believe this is our times as believers. It is our time to be a testimony to show that our hope and trust is not in the world or things of the world but in Christ. Many people I talk to are saying "our salvation for our Country is in our new president. We as believers know that our salvation (spiritual, physical, emotional, and financial) is in the Lord alone.

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**I want to encourage and remind us all** during this time that no matter what the situation; our hope and trust is in the Lord. He has a plan. His plan is to prosper us in our walk with Him, our relationship with Him, and in our testimony. The way people will see that our God is real and the only true God is when they see His people walking through the same storm as them and not being overwhelmed. It is our time for people to look at us in the fiery furnace and see us in our situation and say "I see them in the midst of the flames but they have not been consumed. It is like I see someone walking with them an angelic/holy presence. I need to know how is it possible to walk in the midst of that and not be consumed."

**This is our time. God is on the throne and he has a plan.**



I truly believe for many of us God wants this to be a time of refocus. Sometimes in our seasons of plenty our focus becomes self centered

without us even knowing. Because of God's great love for us He brings hardship to bring us back into focus as he continues to develop us into the people He has purposed us to be.

**We look forward to seeing each of you. We look forward** to praying for you, encouraging you, and worshiping with you. Our God is God and He is faithful. We are praying for all of you.

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